

FLORIDA STATE

FOOTBALL

FINAL: FSU 24, LSU 23

- » Florida State improved to 8-2 (.800) all-time against LSU and have now won six straight in the series. FSU is 16-4 (.800) in the state of Louisiana and 9-2 (.818) in New Orleans.
- » FSU blocked two kicks a second-quarter field goal by **Jared Verse** and a PAT by **Shyheim Brown** with LSU looking to tie the game with no time remaining in the fourth quarter. It was the first career block for both players.
- » FSU blocked multiple kicks in a game for the third time under head coach **Mike Norvell** and special teams coordinator **John Papuchis**. FSU blocked three kicks against Georgia Tech and two against North Carolina, both in 2020. The Georgia Tech game was the last time FSU blocked a field goal or PAT.
- » FSU is the only team in the country with multiple blocked kicks this season.
- » **Wyatt Rector** and **Brendan Gant** recovered muffed punts Sunday, FSU's first takeaways of the season. It was both players' first career recovered fumble.
- » Making his 29th career start most on the offense **Ontaria Wilson** tied a career high with seven catches and two touchdowns. He finished with 102 yards, his second career 100-yard game (117 at NC State, 2020).
- » Wilson caught a 39-yard touchdown from **Jordan Travis** to give FSU a lead in the second quarter and a one-handed 27-yard touchdown grab in the third that extended the lead. Wilson's 10 career touchdown catches are the most among active Seminoles.
- » Travis passed for 260 yards, the second most in his career. He finished 20-for-33 with two touchdown passes and added 31 rushing yards.
- » Florida State converted four third downs on Wilson's first touchdown drive and opened the game converting 6-of-7. Both of **Camren McDonald**'s catches in the first half came on third down. For the game, FSU converted 11 of 17 third down tries.
- » Travis was 8-for-12 for 92 yards and a touchdown and eight first downs when passing on third down. He added two more third down conversions on the ground.
- $\,$ » $\,$ On defense, Verse had 2.5 tackles for loss and 2.0 sacks. FSU had four sacks and six TFLs in the contest.
- » Linebacker D.J. Lundy scored a rushing touchdown as fullback, his first career carry. He had one tackle on defense.
- » FSU held the Tigers to just three points, 47 passing yards and 119 total yards in the first half. Cornerback **Omarion Cooper** matched his career high with five tackles.
- » Right tackle **Jazston Turnetine** made his first start as a Seminole and the 11th of his career.
- » Markeston Douglas caught an eight-yard pass, the first catch of his career.

CAPTS & COIN TOSS

CAPTATING

O DT Fabien Lovett 6 DE Dennis Briggs Jr. 75 OL Dillan Gibbons 91 DT Robert Cooper

COTH TOSS

LSU won the toss and received the kick.

FSU STARTERS

OFFENSE

Player	'18	'19	'20	'21	22	Strk	Ttl
RB Treshaun Ward	-	-	-	-	5	5	2
WR Mycah Pittman ¹	-	1	4	7	5	5	14
WR Johnny Wilson ²	-	-	1	5	5	5	5
WR Ontaria Wilson	5	7	8	11	1	1	29
TE Camren McDonald	-	-	9	11	1	1	21
QB Jordan Travis	-	-	6	8	5	5	16
LT Robert Scott Jr.	-	-	7	11	5	11	50
LG Dillan Gibbons ³	-	-	1	11	5	5	14
C Maurice Smith	-	5	7	8	1	1	18
RG D'Mitri Emmanuel ⁴	-	12	6	7	5	5	27
RT Jazston Turnetine	-	-	3	7	1	1	11

¹at Oregon, 2019-21

DEFENSE

<u>Player</u>	'18	'19	'20	'21	55	Strk	Ttl
DE Derrick McLendon II	-	-	-	-	5	5	5
NT Robert Cooper	-	13	5	10	5	7	30
DT Fabien Lovett ¹	-	13	5	9	5	8	26
DE Jared Verse ²	-	-	1	11	5	14	14
LB Tatum Bethune ³	-	-	5	12	5	11	19
LB Kalen DeLoach	-	-	1	11	5	11	14
NK Kevin Knowles II	-	-	-	7	5	6	9
CB Omarion Cooper	-	-	-	3	1	1	4
BK Akeem Dent	-	5	5	8	5	9	19
FS Jammie Robinson ⁴	-	3	10	11	5	13	26
CB Renardo Green	-	-	5	5	5	5	9

¹at Mississippi State, 2019

²at Arizona State, 2020-21

³at Notre Dame, 2020

⁴at Charlotte, 2019-21

² at Albany, 2020-21

³ at UCF, 2020-21

⁴at South Carolina, 2019-20